

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. 03404/000K075-USO	
Application No. 09/998,621-Conf. #4928	Filing Date November 30, 2001	Examiner R. A. Hylton	Art Unit 3727	

Applicant(s): Masato Takahashi et al.

Invention: SEALING ELEMENT, HERMETIC CONTAINER AND SEALING METHOD THEREOF

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate		
Total Claims	8	- 20 =	0	x	50.00	0.00
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =	0	x	200.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>						
Other fee (please specify):						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:						0.00

☒ Large Entity
 ☐ Small Entity

☒ No additional fee is required for this amendment.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____.
 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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